# Network and Telecommunications Design Support

RFQ Conference

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#### Agenda

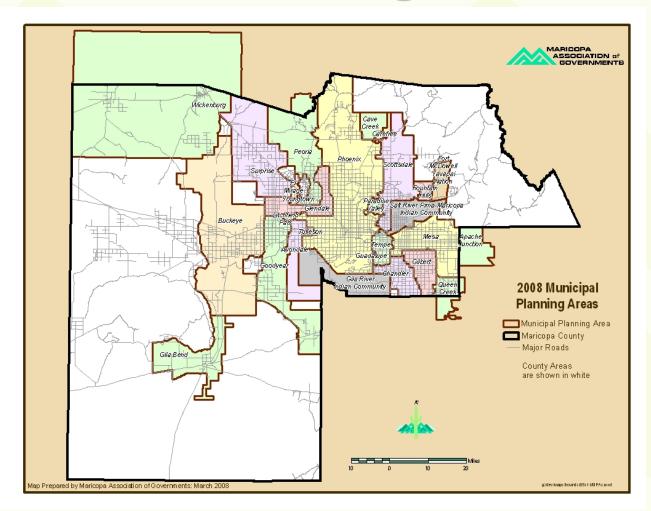
- What is MAG?
- Potential Projects
- Areas of Expertise
- SOQ process
- Questions

#### What is MAG?





#### **MAG Member Agencies**





### Upcoming Changes and Projects

- Potential Move
- Partnering Opportunities
- Data Sharing Project



#### **Potential Benefits**

- Share data
- Facilitate collaboration
- Reduce Costs



#### **Potential Concerns**

- Security
- Autonomy
- Standards

### Potential Projects





#### **Potential Projects**

- Review and possible modification of infrastructure design for the new building.
- Review and possible modification of server room design for the new building.
- Evaluation and recommendation of proposed interconnections between MAG and partnering agencies.
- Review of design documents for the new building and proposed modifications to the existing MAG building.
- Design of public WiFi infrastructure for the new building.
- Analysis of security issues of proposed interconnections between MAG and partnering agencies and recommendations to mitigate risks.
- Analysis of public WiFi security issues for the new building and recommendations to mitigate risks.
- Collecting information of the network security and infrastructure requirements of MAG and partnering agencies and facilitate the development of a consensus on these issues to move forward toward interconnection.

### Areas of Expertise





#### **Areas of Expertise**

- Telecommunications design and review including public-access WiFi
- Server room design and review including impacts on building design
- Network security analysis and design for interagency communications and public-access WiFi
- Design of multi agency IP telephony systems
- Integration of audio/visual control systems



## Telecommunications design and review including publicaccess WiFi

- Examples of Products
  - High level design of infrastructure to connect multiple agencies colocated in the same building
  - Identification of infrastructure requirements for public WiFi



## Telecommunications design and review including publicaccess WiFi

- Examples of Qualifications
  - Experience designing connectivity for related, but separate, entities in a campus or business condo environment
  - Experience designing the infrastructure to support WiFi
  - Ability to forecast bandwidth demands



## Server room design and review including impacts on building design

- Examples of Products
  - High level design of server room in a stand-alone and hotel configuration
  - Identification of building requirements
  - Projection of power, cooling, and space needs



## Server room design and review including impacts on building design

- Examples of Qualifications
  - Experience designing server rooms including those to serve multiple agencies
  - Ability to forecast power, cooling, and space requirements



### Network security analysis and design for interagency communications and public-access WiFi

#### Examples of Products

- Identification of security requirements for shared servers
- Identification of security requirements and best practices for public WiFi accomodation



### Network security analysis and design for interagency communications and public-access WiFi

#### Examples of Qualifications

- Experience designing public WiFi systems
- Experience analyzing risk factors and identifying security needs, particularly between cooperating agencies



### Design of multi agency IP telephony systems

- Examples of Products
  - Analysis of requirements to join an existing agency IP phone system
  - Analysis of suitability of IP telephony to the MAG environment
  - Specification of IP telephony requirements



### Design of multi agency IP telephony systems

- Examples of Qualifications
  - Experience designing IP telephony systems particularly those that are shared across agencies
  - Ability to forecast telephone requirements



### Integration of audio/visual control systems

- Examples of Products
  - Analysis of A/V needs for new conference rooms
  - Review of designs for conference rooms
  - Specification of A/V requirements for conference rooms and associated links to the IT environment



### Integration of audio/visual control systems

- Examples of Qualifications
  - Experience designing collaborative and formal meeting room A/V environments
  - Experience in teleconferencing design

#### **SOQ Process**





#### **SOQ Content**

- Registration form and identification
- Organization and approach
- Background of firm
- Range of services offered
- Examples of work
- References
- Individuals and expertise
- Resumes
- Subconsultants
- Signature/confidentiality, other information



### SOQ Delivery and Opening

- Ten copies
- Submittal Deadline: Friday April 10, 2008 at 12:00 noon Arizona time
- Delivery of SOQs to MAG office, 302 North 1st Avenue 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor reception desk



#### **SOQ - Evaluation Criteria**

#### Evaluation criteria

- Understanding goals and objectives
- Clarity of SOQ/approach/soundness enhancements
- Education and experience of personnel
- Proven track record
- Availability of key personnel
- Ability and commitment to provide quality products and services on time
- Recognition of work priorities/flexibility
- Other qualifications as necessary



#### **SOQ - Questions**

- Submitted via fax or e-mail to the attention of Audrey Skidmore
  - Fax (602) 452-5098
  - E-mail <u>askidmore@mag.maricopa.gov</u>
- Answers posted to the web Mondays by 5:30 PM



### **SOQ Phase 1 – Consultant Selection**

- References
- Discussions with offerers
- Selection of firms based solely on qualifications
- Subconsultants must be named
- Recommendation from MAG
  Executive Director to Regional
  Council



### **SOQ Phase 2 - Rate Schedule and Contract**

- Rate schedule
- MAG contract
- Contract term and extension

#### Questions



## For More Information

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